(c) DDA has reported that 562 applications have been received so far. However, the sale of booklets and general public tendency of availing the benefit at the fag end is increasing. Going by these trends, the response is expected to improve and is expected to be reasonable satisfactory.

(d) 562 applications have been received so far and the zonewise break up of the applications is as under:—

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| (i) G.H. Scheme..... | 191 |
| (ii) NPRS—79 North Zone ..... | 56 |
| (iii) NPRS—79 South Zone..... | 26 |
| (iv) NPRS—79 East Zone ..... | 149 |
| (v) NPRS—79 West Zone ..... | 104 |
| (vi) NPRS—79 Rohini ..... | 36 |
| TOTAL: | 562 |

(c) No such proposal is under consideration at present.

(f) Docs not arise in view of (c) above.

**Steps taken to clear the rush of Christinas etc.**

2658. SHRI V. GOPALSAMY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Railways have announced holiday special to clear the rush of Christmas, Sabrimala and holidays in New Delhi—Trivandrum sector;

(b) if so, when and the details thereof including the number of specials with details of their departure and the number of coaches and other facilities;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the steps being taken by Railways to clear this rush?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SURESH KALMADI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Lack of adequate traffic for special train.

(d) Load of Kerala and Mangala Expresses are being augmented.

**Proposal to split up CSD**

2659. SHRI GUNDAPPA KORWAR: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal to split up the Canteen Stores Department to make it more efficient;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the headquarters of the Southern CSD will be in Kacnataka; and

(d) if so, the full details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE AND DEPTT. OF DEFENCE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT) (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) There is no proposal to split the canteen Stores Department.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

**Bhumidhari Land Holdings**

2660. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA: Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that under Delhi Land Reforms Act 1954 farmer's Bhumidhari Land holdings were vested in Gaon Sabhas wrongly;

(b) whether it is a fact that litigation is going on since last 50 years about the right of possession of Bhumidhari Land holdings in various court;

(c) whether Bhumidhari land holdings were vested in Gaon Sabhas under the plea of non-cultivation of lands;

(d) whether it is a fact that Delhi Administration have stopped recording the possession of Khasara Girdwari land since 1983; and

(e) if so, what is Government's reaction in this regard?